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SUBJECT: LDC STRATEGY AND ENABLING CLAUSE

REF: (A) STATE 104975, (B) GENEVA 6107

1. MTN DEL UNDERSTANDS THAT IN DISCUSSION OF ENABLING CLAUSE DURING LDC REVIEW (REF A), SUGGESTION WAS MADE TO CARVE OUT GSP FROM SCOPE OF ANY POSSIBLE CLAUSE.

2. IN OUR VIEW, SUCH AN APPROACH IS NOT REPEAT NOT A VIABLE OPTION. LDC INTEREST IN ENABLING CLAUSE BEGINS WITH GSP AND THEY WOULD REJECT OUT OF HAND ANY SUCH LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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CLAUSE THAT COULD NOT BE APPLIED TO GSP. SIMILARLY, OTHER DCS DO NOT ENVISAGE CARVING OUT GSP FROM DISCIPLINES TO BE ESTABLISHED BY AN ACCEPTABLE ENABLING CLAUSE; MOREOVER, IT IS COMMONLY UNDERSTOOD AMONG DCS THAT AN "ACCEPTABLE" CLAUSE COULD NOT BE PERMITTED TO REDUCE DONOR CONTROL OVER ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATION OF GSP SCHEMES.

3. ADOPTION OF CARVE-OUT SUGGESTION, THEREFORE, WOULD
MEAN EFFECTIVE U.S. OPPOSITION TO ANY ENABLING CLAUSE.
IF SUCH A DECISION IS IN PROSPECT, MTN RECOMMENDS VERY
STRONGLY AGAINST IT.

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